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OPERATIONS

REFS: A. UN LTR UNEF 74-267 DTD 8 JULY 1974

B. USUN 2427

C. SECSTATE 163909

1. THE EXISTING ARRANGEMENTS FOR FURNISHING US MILITARY SUPPLIES TO UNEF AND UNDOF FORCES WERE SET UP ON AN EMERGENCY BASIS. SINCE THAT TIME ALL REQUESTS FOR SUPPLY AND RE-SUPPLY HAVE BEEN CHanneled THROUGH THE DEPT OF STATE AND DOD FOR APPROVAL. THIS PROCEDURE IS VERY TIME CONSUMING AND EXPENSIVE.

2. REF. A. ABOVE REQUESTED THE US GOVERNMENT VIEWS ON INCLUDING UNDOF AND UNEF IN THE EXISTING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UN AND USG THAT COVERS UNTSO AND UNMOGIP LOGISTICAL SUPPORT BY THE 8TH LOG COMD IN EUROPE. REF. B. CONTAINED USUN'S RECOMMENDATION THAT US RESPOND POSITIVELY TO THIS REQUEST.

3. A MEETING ON THIS SUBJECT WAS HELD ON 31 JULY 1974 AT OSC. USUN-MSc, STATE, OSD, JCS AND DA WERE REPRESENTED. IT WAS UNCLASSIFIED

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CONSENSUS THAT LOGISTICAL SUPPORT (POSSIBLE EXCEPTING MAJOR

END ITEMS) COULD BEST BE PROVIDED BY THE 8TH LOG COMD, US ARMY, USAREUR PROVIDED THE UN DEPOT IN PISA WAS ADEQUATELY STAFFED TO HANDLE AND SHIP SUPPLIES IN QUANTITY. A CONTINUING REQUIREMENT WOULD EXIST FOR POLITICAL AND MILITARY CONTROL OVER WHAT IS TO BE FURNISHED IN THE WAY OF MAJOR END ITEMS. THEREFORE, IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE CURRENTLY ESTABLISHED APPROVAL CHAIN REMAIN INTACT INSOFAR AS MAJOR END ITEMS ARE CONCERNED.

4. ON 2 AUG. 74 FIELD OPERATIONS, UN AND USUN-MSC MET TO DISCUSS THE CAPABILITY OF THE UN DEPOT IN PISA TO TAKE ON AN INCREASED LOGISTICAL SUPPORT WORKLOAD. IT WAS AGREED THAT ALTHOUGH THE DEPOT HAS LIMITED STORAGE IT IS ADEQUATELY STAFFED TO PROCESS REQUESTS AND ARRANGE FOR SHIPMENT OF SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT.

5. IN LIGHT OF ABOVE, WE CONTINUE TO BELIEVE WE SHOULD REPLY POSITIVELY TO UN LETTER OF JULY 12. PLEASE INSTRUCT.  
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